

Table 1.10. States That Offer Certification, Licensure, or Endorsement to Teach Health Education and Certification Requirements for Newly Hired Health Education Teachers, by School Level

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Yes ○ No ? Incomplete Data N/A Not Applicable³ 	Offers Certification, Licensure, or Endorsement to Teach Health Education ¹	Requires Certification, Licensure, or Endorsement ²		
		Elementary Schools	Middle/Junior High Schools	Senior High Schools
Alabama	●	N/A	N/A	●
Alaska	●	○	○	?
Arizona	●	N/A	N/A	N/A
Arkansas	●	N/A	●	●
California	●	?	?	?
Colorado	●	○	○	?
Connecticut	●	●	●	●
Delaware	●	?	●	●
District of Columbia	●	●	●	●
Florida	●	○	○	○
Georgia	●	N/A	N/A	N/A
Hawaii	●	●	●	●
Idaho	●	N/A	●	●
Illinois	●	N/A	N/A	●
Indiana	●	○	●	●
Iowa	●	N/A	N/A	N/A
Kansas	●	○	○	○
Kentucky	●	○	●	●
Louisiana	●	●	●	●
Maine	●	○	●	●
Maryland	●	○	○	○
Massachusetts	●	●	●	●
Michigan	●	○	●	●
Minnesota	●	N/A	●	●
Mississippi	?	?	?	?
Missouri	●	○	●	●
Montana	●	●	●	●
Nebraska	●	○	●	●
Nevada	●	N/A	●	●
New Hampshire	●	?	?	?
New Jersey	●	○	○	●
New Mexico	●	N/A	●	●
New York	●	○	●	●
North Carolina	●	○	○	○

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North Dakota	●	●	●	●
Ohio	●	●	●	●
Oklahoma	●	?	?	?
Oregon	●	○	●	●
Pennsylvania	●	○	○	●
Rhode Island	●	○	●	●
South Carolina	●	○	○	●
South Dakota	●	●	●	●
Tennessee	●	●	●	●
Texas	●	●	●	●
Utah	●	N/A	●	●
Vermont	●	●	●	●
Virginia	○	N/A	N/A	N/A
Washington	●	○	●	●
West Virginia	●	○	●	●
Wisconsin	●	○	●	●
Wyoming	●	○	○	○

¹"Does your state offer certification, licensure, or endorsement to teach health education?" (State Health Education Questionnaire, Items 34)

²"Has your state adopted a policy stating that newly-hired staff who teach health education at each of the following levels will be certified, licensed, or endorsed by the state to teach health education (a) elementary school, (b) middle/junior high school, or (c) senior high school." (State Health Education Questionnaire, Item 36a-c)

³"Not Applicable" indicates that the state does not offer certification, licensure, or endorsement to newly-hired staff who teach health education at particular school levels (elementary, middle/junior high, and senior high school).